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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: James D. Marks et al.

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COMMUNICATION REGARDING PAYMENT OF ISSUE FEE

Mail Stop ISSUE FEE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to a Notice of Allowance mailed January 7, 2008, Applicants paid an associated issue fee of \$720.00 and publication fee of \$300.00 on February 1, 2008. On September 4, 2008, Applicants petitioned for a withdrawal from issue in order to submit a Request for Continued Examination and Information Disclosure Statement. The petition was granted on September 8, 2008, and a second Notice of Allowance was mailed on October 20, 2008.

Applicants request that the fees paid on February 1, 2008 be applied to the fees presently owing for the Notice of Allowance of October 20, 2008. As the issue fee for a utility application by an applicant having small entity status is presently \$755.00, Applicants submit that the amount presently owing is \$35.00, and have edited the issue fee transmittal form to reflect this amount.

Application No. 09/447,259 Communication Regarding Issue Fee dated November 17, 2008 Docket No : 20759/000G691-US0

The Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized to charge all fees required in association with the Notice of Allowance of October 20, 2008, to Darby and Darby's Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

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Respectfully submitted,

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